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SUBJECT: 1974 NATO DEFENSE PLANNING WORKSHOP

REF: USNATO 3570

1. INTERNATIONAL STAFF HAS RELEASED DRC/N(73)15 (POUCHED AUGUST 7) WHICH SUGGESTS POSSIBLE AGENDA FOR 1974 NATO DEFENSE PLANNING WORKSHOP TO BE HELD AT OBERAMMERGAU, GERMANY DURING LATE JANUARY. WORKSHOP IS TO BE DIVIDED INTO TWO SEPARATE PROGRAMS, ONE DEALING WITH TECHNICAL PROBLEMS OF DEFENSE PLANNING AND DEFENSE MANAGEMENT, THE OTHER WITH CURRENT DEFENSE POLICY QUESTIONS. PARTICIPANTS DO NOT HAVE TO ATTEND BOTH WORKSHOP SESSIONS.

2. DRC/N(73)15 ASKS FOR DESIGNATION BY SEPTEMBER 28 OF NATIONAL SPEAKERS ON SUBJECTS OUTLINED IN DRAFT AGENDAS FOR WORKSHOP SESSIONS ON DEFENSE PLANNING AND MANAGEMENT AND DEFENSE POLICY PROBLEMS. WE SEE A PRESENTATION ON NEW U.S. CONCEPT ON "DESIGN-TO-COST" AS FITTING VERY WELL INTO THE PROGRAM ON DEFENSE PLANNING AND MANAGEMENT. ON DEFENSE POLICY PROBLEMS, WASHINGTON MIGHT FIND THE TOPIC "BASIC UNCLASSIFIED

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ISSUES OF NATO DEFENSE PLANNING" A USEFUL FORUM IN WHICH TO EXPRESS U.S. VIEWS ON THIS SUBJECT.

3. DRC/N(73)15 ALSO INVITES COUNTRIES TO NOMINATE NATIONAL

PARTICIPANTS FOR THE PANEL DISCUSSION ON THE EXPERIENCE
GAINED BY MOD'S ON THE APPLICATION OF DEFENSE MANAGEMENT AND
PPB SYSTEM. PANEL DISCUSSION IS SCHEDULED TO COME UP ON
THIRD DAY OF INITIAL SESSION ON DEFENSE PLANNING AND DEFENSE
MANAGEMENT.

4. REQUEST WASHINGTON REPLY DESIGNATING US SPEAKERS, SUBJECTS,
AND PARTICIPANT FOR PANEL BE CHANNELED THROUGH USNATO.
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